

ER 1-3587

14 November 1950

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Many thanks for your letter of November 10th in regard to my appointment in this Agency. It will probably be difficult to arrange for studies by you of unclassified material. However, I shall explore this matter with the appropriate division of this Agency and let you know if anything develops. In the meantime, I shall be glad to see you if you happen to be in Washington. We could then discuss what you might be willing to do if the general situation deteriorates.

With best personal regards,

Very sincerely,

*WJ & deep via ER 11/21*  
WILLIAM H. JACKSON

WHJ:b

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1-Personnel w/basic

Basic refers to possible future employment - on a dollar a year basis, probably working on background studies. Cannot very well leave Philadelphia except in a national emergency, and hence the matr which he could use wld be unclassified.

*Official*

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MEMORANDUM TO [ ]

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[ ] called Wednesday, 15 November, in an effort to clarify the status of his cousin, [ ] who is at present employed in one of [ ]

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It appears that [ ] attempted to obtain a position with the Central Intelligence Agency sometime ago. There was apparently no vacancy for him and he considered the matter closed. The individuals he contacted in CIA on this occasion were [ ] and [ ]

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At some later date when he accepted the position in [ ] he was contacted by another group in CIA (apparently Office of Operations) and asked if he would perform certain functions for the CIA while in [ ] He advised whoever contacted him that he had at one time applied for a position with the Central Intelligence Agency but was told that he could best serve the Agency by accepting the position in [ ]

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Recently he has received a rather cryptic wire directing him to come back to the United States to work for the Agency. He believes this wire must have originated from his original contact [ ] [ ] who possibly had no knowledge that he was already performing some service for another staff in CIA.

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[ ] has moved his family to [ ] is pleased with his present position and does not wish to return to the United States at this time unless it is necessary.

This information was relayed to [ ]

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This probably accounts for its sketchiness and incompleteness. However, I have assured [ ] that I would try to obtain a firm decision as to what CIA wants [ ] to do and that I would advise [ ] of this by telephone in the near future.

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